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NO. 6506 號六零百五千六第 日三十月九年寅戊緒光 HONGKONG, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31ST, 1878. 二拜禮 號八月十英 曆舊 [PRICE \$2 PER MONTH.]

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
October 6, BREITENBERG, German bark, 356, Hays, Newburgh 13th Sept. Deas.—Metcalf & Co.
October 7, HANNOVER, British bark, 1,842, N. W. Haselwood, Shanghai 4th Oct. Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.
October 7, SPARE HALL, British bark, 1,730, Wm. Brand, Shanghai via Foochow 5th Oct. Tea.—Bulmer & Co.
October 7, GAMBROCK, British bark, 945, H. Wharton, Singapore 24th Sept. Singapore and Saigon 1st Oct. General.—Chunress.
October 7, THOON KRAMON, Siam bark, 474, T. W. Vorrath, Newburgh 22nd Sept. Deas.—Sprengel & Co.
October 7, GLAMORGAN, British bark, 1,311, A. Buck, Amoy 6th Oct. Tea.—Metcalf & Co.
October 7, CHAN YU, Chinese gunboat, from Canton.

ULTRAMANCES.
At the Harbour Master's Office, Canton, Teu.
Premier, British bark, for Swatow.
Bacon, British steamer, for Sydney.
Alby, British steamer, for Hahow.
Quinto, German steamer, for Saigon.
Spoke Hall, British steamer, for Singapore and London.

DEPARTURES.
October 7, OLYMPIA, German steamer, for Swatow.
October 7, CITY OF SANTEAGO, British bark, for New York.
October 7, BOWEN, British steamer, for Singapore, Port Darwin, Teu.
October 7, NINEBO, Brit. bark, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.
Per Hindoo, bark, from Shanghai.—Mrs. M. and Mrs. B. and 3 children, Mrs. M. and 2 children, Lieut. Colonel Bridges, Captain Bridges, Messrs. B. Sharp, J. Carbutt, Messrs. H. Davidson, B. Mackenzie, Messrs. B. T. F. Ballance, and E. Anderson, 9 Chinese, 6 natives, and 1 Siam.
Per Caribbe, bark, from Singapore, &c.—140 Chinese.
Per Spoke Hall, bark, from Shanghai, &c.—200 Chinese.
Per G. Morgan, bark, from Amoy.—18 Chinese for Singapore.

REPORTS.
The steamer bark *Thoon Kramon* reports left Newburgh on 22nd September. The first part of the voyage was uneventful. In the Forrester Channel strong monsoon with high turbulent sea.

The British steamer *Spoke Hall* reports left Shanghai on 5th October at 10 p.m., and had strong N.E. monsoon from Shanghai to Lamouche, from thence to port fresh N.W. winds.

The German bark *Neithamer* reports left Newburgh on 13th September, and had fine weather and clear atmosphere with variable winds from the North to E.N.E., then strong and light winds to arrive.

The British steamer *Caribbe* reports left Singapore on 25th September, and Saigon on 1st October. From Saigon to Hongkong, the weather was light S.W. winds, from Saigon to Hongkong light N.E. and N.W. winds and fine weather throughout.

SINGAPORE SHIPPING.
September.—
23, *Ayeyar*, French bark, from Saigon.
24, *Fly*, British bark, from Malacca.
25, *Lapwing*, British bark, from Malacca.
26, *Cleator*, British steamer, from Labuan.
28, *Altha*, German bark, from Bangkok.
28, *Caribbe*, British bark, from Saigon.
28, *Gloria*, Italian bark, from Saigon.
28, *Thoon Kramon*, Siam bark, from Saigon.
28, *John*, British bark, from Cardiff.
28, *Ban Y. Sang*, British bark, from Bangkok.
28, *Hispania*, German steamer, from Hongkong.
28, *Rica*, British steamer, from Penang.
28, *Strathleven*, British bark, from Hongkong.
28, *Indian*, British bark, from Cebu.
28, *Timor*, American ship, from Bombay.
28, *Q. of the Seas*, Brit. bark, from Hongkong.
28, *Kashira*, British steamer, from Hongkong.
28, *Paratree*, British bark, from Surabaya.
28, *Banca*, British steamer, from Samang.
28, *Shayongdon*, British bark, from Penang.
28, *P. Alexander*, Dutch bark, from Amoy.
28, *Paknam*, British steamer, from Bangkok.
28, *Douglas Castle*, Brit. bark, from Penang.
28, *General Pat*, Dutch steamer, from Batavia.
28, *Nitram*, British steamer, from Penang.
28, *Cottoghera*, British bark, from Grahams.
September.—
23, *Telegraf*, Malay steamer, for Malacca.
23, *Batavia*, Siam bark, for Trinagou.
23, *Ban Y. Sang*, British bark, for Bangkok.
23, *Poud*, British steamer, for Saigon.
23, *Rosa*, British steamer, for Malacca.
23, *Orest* of the Wave, British bark, for London.
23, *Anders*, Italian bark, for Marseilles.
23, *Strathleven*, British steamer, for London.
23, *Pont-nak*, British bark, for Pontianak.
23, *Maritan*, British steamer, for Malacca.
23, *Maritan*, British steamer, for Penang.
23, *Cleator*, British steamer, for Labuan.
23, *Ararat*, British bark, for Hongkong.
23, *Livingston*, German bark, for Bangkok.

VESSELS THAT HAVE ARRIVED IN SUBURB FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA.
(For last Mail's Advice.)
State of Alabama (s).....Aug. 13
Batavia (s).....Aug. 13
Cyprus (s).....Aug. 25
Mylas (s).....Aug. 25
Viking (s).....Aug. 27
Fusca (s).....Aug. 27
Petro (s).....Aug. 27
Brammer Castle (s).....Aug. 27
Amazons (s).....Aug. 27

VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG.
(Corrected to Date.)
Demolog (s).....May 17
Nagara (s).....May 17
Marine (s).....May 17
Emily Chapman (s).....June 11
France (s).....June 11
Commissary (s).....June 11
Underwood (s).....June 22
Metre (s).....June 22
Sydenham (s).....July 19
Victoria (s).....July 19
Stark (s).....July 21
Elizabeth Nicholson (s).....July 21
Pilgrim (s).....July 21
Tillock (s).....July 21
Abney (s).....July 21
Barncliffe (s).....July 21
Chamner (s).....July 21
Bury St. Edmunds (s).....Aug. 7
Alfred (s).....Aug. 7
Urania (s).....Aug. 7
Cora (s).....Aug. 10
Lola (s).....Aug. 11
Anchises (s).....Aug. 11
London Castle (s).....Aug. 25
Belna Mercedes (s).....Aug. 25
Ave (s).....Aug. 25

IN THE HOUSES OF MARINE LOT 65, FORMERLY THE BLUE HOUSES, situated on Praya East.
HOUSE No. 2, Praya East. The basement, together with first floor, or separate if desired, with possession on the 1st July.

SIX SPACIOUS ROOMS with Corridors and Out-houses in the DWELLING HOUSE to the Eastward of the Pier Westward. These may be had in Apartments of Two or Three Rooms to suit convenience. Fine Spacious Verandah looking on the Harbour. Immediate Possession.
For further Particulars, apply to
Messrs. TURNER & CO.,
Hongkong, 15th August, 1878. [11932]

TO LET FURNISHED ROOMS, with use of Drawing Room, with or without Board, with a private family. Address F. J. one of Daily Press Office.
Hongkong, 2nd April, 1878. [15538]

DEBT NOTICE.
D. ROGERS begs to announce that he intends visiting Amoy and Poonoon, leaving Hongkong on September 15th, and returning on November 1st.
Hongkong, 22nd August, 1878. [18]

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.
M. NG MEI KUM, otherwise called Ng Hor Mui, is admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from 2nd February, 1878.
TACK MEE HOE KEE HONG.
Nos. 9 and 11, Bonham Street West, Hongkong, 24th September, 1878.

NOTICE.
THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. NG SIN FOO, otherwise called Ng Hor Mui, in our Firm CEASED on 2nd February, 1878.
TACK MEE HOE KEE HONG.
Nos. 9 and 11, Bonham Street West, Hongkong, 24th September, 1878. [3m1839]

NOTICE.
FROM the late of October Dr. EASTLACK, who has been admitted a PARTNER in his New Dental Rooms, No. 50, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, over the Medical Hall.
Hongkong, 24th September, 1878. [1600]

NOTICE.
M. S. GODFREY BIRD is authorized to SIGN our FIRM for prosecution from this date.
WILSON AND SALWAY,
Attorneys, &c., &c.,
Hongkong, 3rd October, 1878. [1w1694]

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned, having become LESSEE of the "HONGKONG PATENT FISH" and the BUSINESS connected therewith, will conduct the same on his own account from this date.
R. CHATTEERTON WILCOX.
Daily Press Office.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1878.

NOTICE.
THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. ARTHUR CHART in our Firm CEASED on the 31st December, 1877.
J. INGLIS & Co.,
Hongkong, 15th June, 1878. [6m1031]

NOTICE.
WE beg to inform all the Shipmasters and the Public in general that both BOB and JACK, our late Pilots, have left our employment, and we do not hold ourselves RESPONSIBLE for any transactions entered into by them on our account.
WING KEE.
Hongkong, 17th May, 1878. [6m580]

NOTICE.
WE beg to notify that we have commenced BUSINESS as MERCHANTS and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS under the Style or Firm of DUNN, MELBY & Co.,
WILLIAM EDWARD HENRY DUNN,
EDWARD MELBY & Co.,
Hongkong, October 1st, 1878. [1m1638]

TO BE LET.
With possession from 1st September.
THE COMMISSIONER'S PREMISES, known as "The Old Mill," situated in the occupation of the Hon. Geo. PHILLIPS, Apply to
L. L. LESTER & Co.,
Hongkong, 6th August, 1878. [1336]

TO LET.
A FIRST CLASS GRANITE GODOWN on the Praya, Wanchi.
Apply to
OLYPHANT & Co.,
Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. [119]

TO LET.
A LARGE BUNGALOW at KOWLOON.
Apply to
J. A. BARRETT,
Hongkong, 7th September, 1878. [1510]

TO LET.
BUNGALOWS, GRANITE GODOWNS attached to the BLUE HOUSES at Wanchi, Marine Lot 65.
For further Particulars apply to
MEYER & Co.,
Hongkong, 22nd June, 1878. [11033]

TO LET.
NO. 7, CALNE ROAD, occupied by the Hon. Cecil Smith.
NO. 7, ZETLAND STREET, at present occupied by Mr. HEUSMANN.
Apply to
DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co.,
Hongkong, 5th October, 1878. [11]

TO LET.
THE FLOOR OF NO. 39, QUEEN'S ROAD, with Godown underneath. Convenient and Servants' Office. Also additional Godown accommodation if required. Immediate Possession.
Apply to
TURNER & Co.,
Hongkong, 4th October, 1878. [1406]

TO LET.
With Possession from the 1st November next, NO. 8, MOSQUE TERRACE. Gas and Water laid on.
Apply to
L. L. LESTER & Co.,
Hongkong, 2nd October, 1878. [1646]

TO BE LET.
TWO EXCELLENT STONE-PIERCED GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 10, PRAYA CENTRAL.
Apply to
TURNER & Co.,
Hongkong, 2nd August, 1878. [1306]

TO LET.
THREE OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS. The BUNGALOW, No. 2, SHELLEY STREET.
Apply to
DOUGLAS LAIRA & Co.,
Hongkong, 20th September, 1878. [37]

TO LET.
THE UPPER STOREY of No. 50A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Apply to
THOMAS G. GLOVER,
No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, 16th September, 1878. [1550]

TO LET.
FLETHCHERS' BUILDINGS, either as one or two, or in flats, or Apartments, GODOWNS, STABLES, and STORAGE, of every description.
Apply to
SHARP, TOLLER, and JOHNSON, Solicitors.
Supreme Court House, Hongkong, 26th February, 1878. [50]

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BANKS.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.
CAPITAL.....2800,000
RESERVE FUND.....2150,000
BANKERS.
THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

The Bank's BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS, 5% PER ANNUM ON THE DAILY BALANCE.
ON FIXED DEPOSITS.
For 3 MONTHS, 3% PER ANNUM.
For 6 MONTHS, 4% PER ANNUM.
For 12 MONTHS, 5% PER ANNUM.
Hongkong, 24th July, 1878. [1813]

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).
RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
At 3 MONTHS' NOTICE, 3% PER ANNUM.
At 6 MONTHS' NOTICE, 4% PER ANNUM.
At 12 MONTHS' NOTICE, 5% PER ANNUM.
D. A. J. CROMBIE, Acting Manager.
Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, 1st July, 1878. [1144]

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL.....5,000,000 of Dollars.
RESERVE FUND.....1,200,000 of Dollars.
Court of Directors.
Chairman—F. D. SARSON, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—W. H. FORD, Esq.
Messrs. J. E. D. Dalrymple, Esq., W. H. Ford, Esq., H. S. Rogers, Esq., W. S. Young, Esq., and W. W. Jackson, Esq., Managers.

THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.
(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).
CAPITAL.....2,750,000
RESERVE FUND.....2,150,000 10s. 0d.

BANKERS.
THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK.
RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
For 3 MONTHS, 3% PER ANNUM.
For 6 MONTHS, 4% PER ANNUM.
For 12 MONTHS, 5% PER ANNUM.

Besides conducting general Exchange Business, the Bank Discounts Local Bills payable in Hongkong and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.
Present Rate of Discount 5% PER ANNUM.
For amount of discount 5% PER ANNUM.
Rates for Advances, according to the terms required, may be ascertained on application.
H. H. NELSON, Manager.
Hongkong, 7th August, 1878. [11300]

NOTICE.
MR. HENRI VINAY has been appointed AGENT for the "CHATEAU D'EUROPE" in PARIS at Hongkong.
MR. ERNEST SCHWABELIN will have power to act at the same place in Mr. VINAY's absence.
E. G. VOULLEMONTE,
Comptroller d'Escompte de Paris, Shanghai, Shanghai, 6th September, 1878.

WITH reference to the above, I have THIS DAY OPENED THE AGENCY of the CHATEAU D'EUROPE in PARIS at the Office of Messrs. RUSSELL & Co.,
H. VINAY, Agent.
Hongkong, 12th September, 1878. [1m1337]

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned, having this day PURCHASED the STOCK INVENTORY, BOOK DEBTS, and GOOD-WILL of the CHINA DISPENSARY, heretofore carried on by Mr. W. BAIL, will CONDUCT and CARRY on the said BUSINESS (in connection with the Yickqua Dispensary) on his own account from this date.
WM. CRUICKSHANK,
Hongkong, 31st August, 1878. [11468]

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS STORAGE.
GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at CHEAP RATES, in First-class Godowns, under European supervision; and VESSELS DISCHARGED alongside the Wharf on Favorable Terms, with quick despatch.
MEYER & Co., Proprietors.
Hongkong, 29th August, 1878. [8m1468]

BOSTON JACK & CO.
SHIP COMPROMISERS and STEVEDORES.
OPPOSITE GANTON STEAMER WHARF.
Supply Shipping with every necessary of the Best Quality, at Low Prices.
Hongkong, 15th September, 1878. [1533]

C. L. THEVENY.
WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, and IMPORTER of FRENCH GOODS.
Depot for VICHY WATERS and Special Agent for PRINCE'S PATENT and ANTOINE'S PATENT. Gentlemen's Best French Boots and Shoes.
44 QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.
"JAPAN GAZETTE" YOKOHAMA.

HAVING been appointed AGENT in Hongkong and SOUTH CHINA for the JAPAN GAZETTE, "Japan Gazette," "Yokohama," and "Kang Li," Orders for Subscriptions and Advertisements for that Paper will be received at this Office.
Hongkong Daily Press Office, Hongkong, 28th May, 1878. [909]

AUCTIONS.

HORSE AUCTION.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to Sell by Public Auction, in front of their Store, Queen's Road, on SATURDAY, the 12th instant, at Noon, TWO BLACK AUSTRALIAN PONIES, perfectly quiet in Single or Double Harness, or as Hack, either will carry a Lady safely. ONE NORTH-CHINA CHIEF. The above can be viewed at the Agents' Repository, Hongkong, 7th October, 1878. [1682]

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions from Mr. V. F. XAVIER to Sell by Public Auction (unless previously disposed of by Private Contract), on TUESDAY, the 22nd October, 1878, at 11 o'clock A.M., on the Premises, the MACHINERY, TOOLS, STOCK-IN-TRADE, &c., of the WEST POINT IRON WORKS, comprising—
1 PUNCHING and SHEARING MACHINE.
1 8-foot PLATE-BENDING MACHINE.
1 Large and 1 Small VERTICAL BENCH DRILLING MACHINES.
1 12-inch LATHE MACHINE.
CENTRE-BENDING and SCREW CUTTING LATHE, &c., &c.
And
1 STEAM LAUNCH.
The above Machinery is nearly all new. For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned.
TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. AUSTIN, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 1st October, 1878. [1641]

LANE CRAWFORD & Co. beg to notify that they have made such arrangements with their TRADING DEPARTMENT that they are now able to GUARANTEE the Prompt Execution of ORDERS. The following GOODS suitable for the PRESENT SEASON have just been received, from which an early Selection is requested—
THIN BLACK SUPERFINE, for Dress Suits.
FANCY BLACK and BLUE CASHMERE, MELLONS, &c. for Morning Suits.
HOMESpun FRIZE, BEAVER, &c. for Ulsters.
SUPERFINE BEAVER, &c. for Light Overcoats.
HOMESpun TWEEDS and ANGOLA, for Suits and Trowsers.
EXTRA THIN TWEEDS and ANGOLA, for Summer Suits and Trowsers.
BLACK, BLUE, and COLOURED SERGES, for Suits.
CORDS, STOCKNETTIES, and CASSIMERES, for Riding Trowsers.
UNIFORMS, LAKE BUTTONS, &c., for H.M. NAVY and U.S. NAVY.
BULLOCK LANE'S SPECIAL BLEND WHISKY.
"S.B.H." THE FINEST WHISKY ever imported.
IRISH CONSTABULARY REVOLVERS.
EXTRA FINEST SIONY BUTTER, CHAMPAIGN and SHAMPAGNE FILTERS, SILVER LAMPS, &c. in Large Assortment.
LAWN, TENNIS SHIRTS.
LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS.
VEGETABLE and FLOWER SEEDS.
GARY'S GOLDEN CIGAR TOBACCO.
VERY FINE FRESH APPLES, per Box or Dozen.
DASS' DRAUGHT &c.
Hongkong, 4th September, 1878. [1335]

LESSONS IN DANCING.
A CLASS for instruction in DANCING to LADIES and GENTLEMEN will be OPENED on the 1st October next. For Particulars, address Q. R., Daily Press Office.
Hongkong, 21st September, 1878. [3m1435]

LESSONS IN GERMAN.
THE CLASS for instruction in the GERMAN LANGUAGE will be RE-OPENED from the 1st October next. For Particulars, address to A. X., Daily Press Office.
Hongkong, 21st September, 1878. [1m1355]

NOTICE.
M. OORE & Co.,
VARIETY STORE
NEWS AGENTS and TOBACCONISTS.
No. 42, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
G. FALCONE and Co.,
WATCH and CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS and JEWELLERS.
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS, and BOOKS.
No. 45, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
FOR SALE.

CUTLER, PALMER'S CELEBRATED WINES and OGNAC.
Price List on application to
F. B. BUCKHEAD & Co.,
Hongkong, 1st November, 1877. [46]

THE Undersigned have been appointed by Messrs. FROST, WINE, and LAWRENCE, Limited, Gunpowder Manufacturers, of Dartford and Birtley, their AGENTS in Hongkong.
MEYER & Co.,
Hongkong, 6th February, 1878. [1296]

KEATING'S BORDERS or WORM TABLETS.
A PURELY VEGETABLE SYSTEM, both in appearance and taste, furnishing a most agreeable method of administering to children, and is especially adapted for Children. Sold in Bottles by all Chemists.
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